

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

**APPLICATIONS OF COLGATE OPERATING, LLC
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NOS. 22943 - 22946

CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Colgate Operating, LLC (“Colgate” or “Applicant”) submits its Consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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INTERESTED PARTIES

N/A

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

In **Case No. 22943**, Applicant applies for an order pooling all uncommitted interests within the Bone Spring formation underlying a 320-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2 S/2 of Sections 5 and 6, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico. The Unit will be dedicated to the Mad Max 6 Fed Com 134H, which will be horizontally drilled from a surface hole location in Lot 7 of Section 6, Township 20 South, Range 28 East to a bottom hole location in the SE/4 SE/4 (Unit P) of Section 5, Township 20 South, Range 28 East. The completed intervals of the Wells will be orthodox.

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In **Case No. 22945**, Applicant applies for an order pooling all uncommitted interests within the Bone Spring formation underlying a 320-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2 N/2 of Sections 5 and 6, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico. The Unit will be dedicated to the Mad Max 6 Fed Com 132H well, which will be horizontally drilled from a surface hole location in the SE/4 NE/4 (Unit H) of Section 1, Township 20 South, Range 27 East to a bottom hole location in the SE/4 NE/4 (Unit H) of Section 5, Township 20 South, Range 28 East. The completed intervals of the Wells will be orthodox.

In **Case No. 22946**, Applicant applies for an order pooling all uncommitted interests within the Bone Spring formation underlying a 320-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the N/2 N/2 of Sections 5 and 6, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico. The Unit will be dedicated to the Mad Max 6 Fed Com 131H well, which will be horizontally drilled from a surface hole location in the SE/4 NE/4 (Unit H) of Section 1, Township 20 South, Range 27 East, to a bottom hole location in the NE/4 NE/4 (Unit A) of Section 5, Township 20 South, Range 28 East. The completed intervals of the Wells will be orthodox.

Also to be considered in each case will be the cost of drilling and completing the Wells and the allocation of the costs, the designation of Applicant as the operator of the Wells, and a 200%

charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the Wells. The Wells are located approximately 12 miles northeast of Carlsbad, New Mexico.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

Witness	Occupation	Estimated Time	Exhibits
Mark Hajdik	Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 5
David DaGian	Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 7

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Applicant requests that these matters be consolidated for hearing. Applicant will present its cases by affidavit if there is no opposition to its application.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

Action 157611

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QUESTIONS

Testimony	
<i>Please assist us by provide the following information about your testimony.</i>	
Number of witnesses	Not answered.
Testimony time (in minutes)	Not answered.